

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application. If any claims are designated "cancelled," please cancel such claims without prejudice.

Listing of Claims:

1.-44. (cancelled)

1 45. (currently amended) A method for directly killing
2 ~~microorganisms~~ and inhibiting ~~the growth of~~ ~~microorganisms~~ fungi and bacteria
3 responsible for fungal infection and non-pathological body malodor comprising the steps
4 of preparing a therapeutically effective amount of an anticholinergic quaternary amine
5 compound and administering said anticholinergic quaternary amine compound to ~~an~~
6 ~~area~~ the skin surface of a human body so as to directly kill and inhibit fungi and bacteria
7 ~~said~~ microorganisms resident on or within ~~said~~ area.

1 46. (original) The method according to claim 45, further comprising
2 administration of the anticholinergic quaternary amine (ACQA) compound as a
3 formulation in conjunction with an excipient, base or support material, wherein the
4 concentration of the anticholinergic quaternary amine compound in the formulation is in
5 an amount of from about 0.0001% to about 20% w/w.

1 47. (original) The method according to claim 46, wherein the
2 concentration of the anticholinergic quaternary amine compound in the formulation is in
3 an amount of from about 0.001% to about 10% w/w.

1 48. (original) The method according to claim 47, wherein the
2 concentration of the anticholinergic quaternary amine compound in the formulation is in
3 an amount of from about 0.05% to about 5% w/w.

1 49. (original) The method according to claim 46, wherein the
2 anticholinergic quaternary amine compound comprises glycopyrrolate.